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For: TELECOMMUNICATION)	
OPTICAL CABLE FOR GAS)	VIA EFS WEB
PIPELINE APPLICATION HAVING)	
BUILT-IN LEAKAGE DETECTING)	
DEVICE)	

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 12, 2009, Applicant requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Attachments: Machine translation of European Patent No. EP 0 978 715
English Abstract of CN1414283(A) ("Jiang")